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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Helgeson et al.

Serial No. 10/755,966

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Group Art Unit: 1638

## PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR § 1.136(a))

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is a petition for an extension of the time to respond to the Office Action dated May 28, 2008 for a period of three months.

Applicant is: Small entity (per 37 CFR 1.27) other than small entity

	<b>Extension Months</b>	Other Than Small Entity	<b>Small Entity</b>
	One Month	\$130.00	\$65.00
	Two Months	\$490.00	\$245.00
$\boxtimes$	Three Months	\$1,110.00	\$555.00
	Four Months	\$1,730.00	\$865.00
	Five Months	\$2,350.00	\$1,175.00

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	Payment by credit card in the a Form PTO-2038 is enclosed for	mount of \$ to cover the fees listed above.  this purpose.	
$\boxtimes$	The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge \$555 to cover the fees listed above to Deposit Account No. 23-1925.		
	The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies in fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-1925.		
		Respectfully submitted,	
Dated:	November 25, 2008	/Bratislav Stankovic, Reg. No. 56,999/ Bratislav Stankovic, Ph.D., Reg. No. 56,999 Attorney for Applicants	

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